

Order of Business: Agreed that Representatives Fossella of New York be authorized to introduce a joint resolution to amend Title 36, United States Code, to designate September 11 as United We Stand Remembrance Day. Further agreed that it be in order at any time on October 25, 2001, without intervention of any point of order to consider in the House the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 70) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2002, and for other purposes; that the joint resolution be considered as read for amendment; that the joint resolution be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking member of the Committee on Appropriations; and that the previous question be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H7224, H7224–25, H7235–36, H7236, H7279–80, H7281–82, and H7282. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported a measure making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002.

WAR ON TERRORISM

Committee on International Relations: Held a hearing on the War on Terrorism. Testimony was heard from Colin L. Powell, Secretary of State.

TRADE-IN-SERVICES

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on Trade-In-Services. Testimony was heard from John B. Taylor, Under Secretary, International Affairs, Department of the Treasury; Grant D. Aldonas, Under Sec-

retary, International Trade, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury and General Government, to hold hearings to examine security of U.S. mail and the financial future of the U.S. Postal Service, 10 a.m., SR–325.

Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings to examine mayors' perspectives on homeland security issues, 2 p.m., SC–6, Capitol.

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold closed hearings to examine the Dark Winter scenario and bioterrorism; to be followed by open hearings, 10 a.m., SR–222.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the role of the Department of Defense in homeland security, 2:30 p.m., SR–222.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to continue hearings to examine terrorism insurance, 10 a.m., SC–5, Capitol.

Committee on the Budget: to hold hearings to examine economic stimulus matters, 9 a.m., SC–211, Capitol.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings on the nomination of Michael Smith, of Oklahoma, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Fossil Energy, 3:30 p.m., S–324, Capitol.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the recent international campaign against terrorism, 2 p.m., SR–325.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, Restructuring and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to promote the best interests of children, focusing on proposals to establish a family court in the District of Columbia Superior Court, 9:30 a.m., SC–6, Capitol.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings on intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., S–407, Capitol.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings on the nomination of Harris L. Hartz, of New Mexico, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Tenth Circuit; the nomination of John D. Bates, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia; the nomination of Kurt D. Engelhardt, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana; the nomination of Ernest L. Johnson, of Louisiana, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Fifty-sixth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations; and the nomination of Sharee M. Freeman, of Virginia, to be Director, Community Relations Service, 2 p.m., SR–385.

House

Committee on Small Business, hearing entitled "Medicare-Endorsed Prescription Drug Discount Cards and Their Impact on Small Business," 10 a.m., 409 3rd Street, S.W., Washington, D.C.